Mitigation Grant Funding Overview

Available Programs

The following are federal grant programs currently available to assist states and local communities in implementing long-term hazard mitigation measures.

• Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), Post Wildfire - #5159, Pre-Disaster Mitigation, Flood Mitigation Grants

Program	Application Method	Notification Deadline	Available Funding	Funding Shares	Competitive
HMGP FM -5159	*Paper	October 31, 2018	Approx. \$1,700,000.00	75% Federal 12.5% State 12.5% Local	Statewide
PDM FMA	*eGrants (web-based)	October 31, 2018	Approx. \$235,200,000.00 Approx. \$160,000,000.00	75% Federal 25% Local	Nationwide

^{*}Contact the State Hazard Mitigation Manager or Mitigation Application Specialist to gain access.

What is the Notification Deadline?

• For a specific grant, all interested entities need to fill out a Pre-Application Form and forward to the State Mitigation office prior to this deadline to show interest in developing an application.

Who applies for Mitigation Grants (Eligible Applicants)

- Government Entities (state and local) and Certain Private, Non-Profit Organizations.
- Jurisdiction must be in good standing in the National Flood Insurance Program.
- Jurisdiction must possess a FEMA approved Local Single or Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan. During disasters, a community without a FEMA approved plan may still apply for projects if they can provide that extraordinary circumstances prevented the development of a plan. A commitment to develop such plan within a 12-month period is required. Funding for approvable projects would follow the approval of such plan. These extraordinary circumstances are:
 - o meets the criteria to be considered a small and impoverished community;
 - o has been determined to have had insufficient capacity prior to the current disaster;
 - o may have been considered to be at low risk from hazards; or
 - experienced significant disruption from the declared incident which impacts their ability to complete the planning process prior to award of a project grant.

Types of Eligible Projects

- Acquisition/Demolition (Buyout) of repetitively flooded residences. Individuals work through their local government, who applies on their behalf. Individuals may not apply directly for participation in this program.
- Creation of retention/detention pond, drainage improvement, elevation of critical access roadways, etc.,
- Reinforced corridors/safe space in schools or public buildings,
- Wildfire related projects including building flame resistant materials and defensible space projects,
- Creating/Updating a hazard mitigation plan, and
- Seismic retrofit to structure foundations.

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